

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
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Gary M. McBRIEN, et al.	)	Group Art Unit: TBA
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Serial No.: Continuation of 10/295,528	)	Confirmation No.: TBA
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Filed: March 16, 2004	)	Examiner: TBA
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For: <b>Vibration Monitoring System</b>	)	
<b>for Gas Turbine Engines</b>	)	

Mail Stop PATENT APPLICATION  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Applicants kindly ask that the above-identified application, filed herewith, be amended prior to examination as set forth below.

CERTIFICATE OF EXPRESS MAILING

I hereby certify that the attached Preliminary Amendment is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to: Mail Stop PATENT APPLICATION, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. on the date indicated below.

Date: March 16, 2004

  
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